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"Clearly it is ***most important for the proper functioning of the patent system*** *that information concerning* ***ownership*** *of,* ***and other interests*** *in, patents* ***should be as readily available as possible****."*

"We think it [i.e. the requirement to register] should be supplemented by ***more effective encouragement*** *to the registration of changes of ownership of patents and the grant of exclusive licences in respect thereof. Ownership of a patent or the holding of an exclusive licence confers the most important of all patent rights, that of bringing an action against an infringer, and* ***it follows that*** *in these respects* ***the register should always*** *be* ***complete*** *and* ***up to date****".*